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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
October 24, 1992



Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended October 24, 1992, as estimated from railroad car loadings by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 19 million short tons. This was about the same as in the previous week but 6 percent lower than in the comparable week in 1991.

Production east of the Mississippi River totaled 11 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

Figure 1. Coal Production

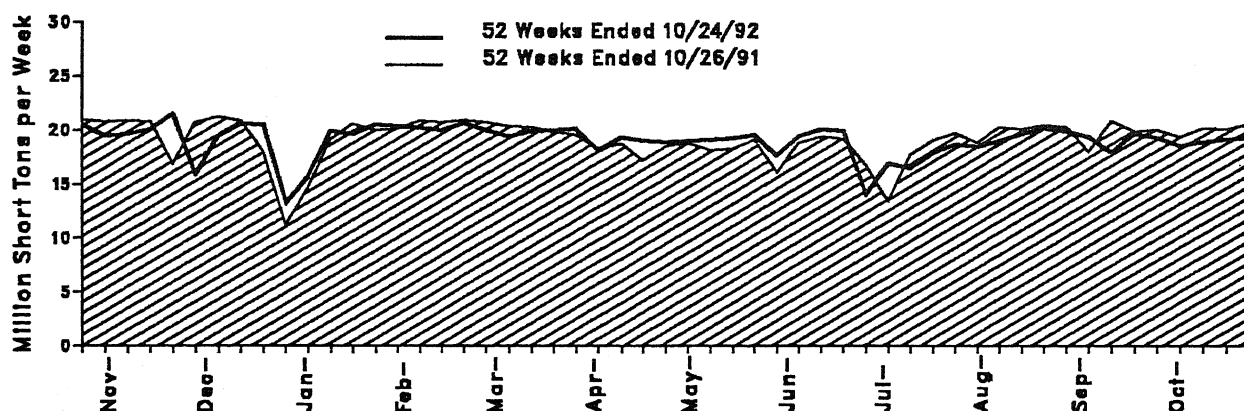


Table 1. Weekly U.S. Coal Production Overview

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			52 Weeks Ended		
	10/24/92	10/17/92	10/26/91	10/24/92	10/26/91	Percent Change
Subbituminous Coal and Lignite	19,203	19,039	20,418	985,006	990,285	-0.5
Pennsylvania Anthracite	47	37	86	2,991	3,324	-10.0
U.S. Total	19,252	19,076	20,504	987,997	993,609	-6
Railroad Cars Loaded	126,851	125,841	134,663	6,344,960	6,496,985	-2.3

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: 1992 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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Table 2. Weekly U.S. Coal Production by Region and State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	10/24/92	10/17/92	10/26/91
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	11,402	11,211	12,336
Alabama	605	610	589
Illinois	1,156	1,011	1,130
Indiana	486	465	607
Kentucky	2,977	3,053	3,344
Kentucky, Eastern	2,176	2,232	2,525
Kentucky, Western	801	821	819
Maryland	67	70	86
Ohio	555	480	626
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,243	1,148	1,333
Tennessee	95	95	70
Virginia	879	876	854
West Virginia	3,339	3,404	3,697
West of the Mississippi	7,803	7,827	8,082
Alaska	31	31	38
Arizona	207	206	282
Arkansas	1	1	1
California	-	-	13
Colorado	352	445	325
Iowa	7	7	7
Kansas	10	9	7
Louisiana	87	67	73
Missouri	43	43	49
Montana	705	693	800
New Mexico	534	520	490
North Dakota	533	525	608
Oklahoma	23	21	32
Texas	1,080	1,071	1,062
Utah	429	489	407
Washington	80	79	114
Wyoming	3,683	3,622	3,775
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite Total	19,205	19,039	20,418
Pennsylvania Anthracite	47	37	86
U.S. Total	19,252	19,076	20,504

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